

CORRESPONDENCE

WEST ST. HELENS

G. W. Perry made a business trip to Portland Monday, returning on the evening train.

After an absence of several weeks, Mr. Howard was back in his old place as clerk in the Houlton post-office on Monday, while M. C. Graham, the postmaster, took a day off.

M. N. Baker of Warren, who has been at the hospital for an operation because of the rupture of a

blood vessel in his head, has so far recovered that he was able to motor to the home of G. N. Perry on Sunday, returning to Warren in the evening.

George Lowe and family, who have been visiting for some time at his father's, M. J. Lowe, in West St. Helens, left on Friday for Spokane, where they will visit Mrs. Lowe's parents.

A letter from Mrs. Dr. J. Fuller, who was located in West St. Helens for the last year, states that she is now located at Wallowa, Oregon. Dr. Fuller made many friends during her stay in this city who wish her

prosperity in her new location.

Don't miss the special sale at Noah's Ark. Dress goods, latest patterns, at greatly reduced prices.

Miss Helen White left Wednesday of last week for Portland. From there she will visit friends in Washington. She will remain on her visit until fall, returning in time for the opening of the city schools.

We are glad to report that little Anna Cossman, who was operated on at the St. Vincent hospital for appendicitis, is said to be out of danger and recovering rapidly. All her little friends are rejoicing and will welcome her back to the school.

The Lonesome Five Club, composed of Bill Hinson, the editor of the Herald, M. N. Larrabee, John Wise and T. S. White, are still without a cook. Expressions of sympathy are in order.

Miss Alba Baker of Portland, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams in West St. Helens.

Roy Perry of Portland, spent a few days with friends in West St. Helens, returning to Portland on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Baker and son of Portland, came down in their auto on Sunday, visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, returning to the city in the evening.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gienstieka who was taken to Portland and operated on for appendicitis is reported recovering from the operation.

The ice cream social served by the Houlton M. E. Aid Society at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. Graham on Thursday last, notwithstanding the disagreeable cold and rain, was a success, being liberally patronized by the citizens.

The Houlton M. E. Sunday school had its annual picnic on the public school grounds on Wednesday, August 3.

At the residence of Mrs. B. I. Plummer in West St. Helens, the Ladies' Aid Society served a Ten-cent tea on Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Smith are enjoying a visit from their son and family, who lately arrived from San Francisco, Cal.

Houses seem to be in good demand in this part of the city. Our bustling real-estate agent is piloting the seekers around the town. At the rate the vacant houses are filling up, a residence in West St. Helens will soon be at a premium.

SCAPPOOSE

Mr. and Mrs. John Divens have returned from their eastern trip.

Clark Grant is able to be on the streets again, although looking rather pale.

The Girls So and So Club met at the home of Mrs. Minnie Price on Tuesday.

Mrs. Force of Vancouver, spent a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Crowley.

Harold Swafford of Oregon City, was the guest of Miss Ruth Duncan last Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. McCord were in town looking for a residence for the coming year.

Mrs. Zella Osborn is spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Ramsey.

Mrs. Barker and Vern Bright of Beaverton, visited Mrs. Hatfield last Sunday and Monday.

Messrs. Watts and Price were numbered among the K. of P. paraders in Portland Tuesday.

Mr. Bessemer and family, who formerly resided here, have moved into the Maude Watts cottage.

Chas. Leonard has returned from Seaside and will remain a week and then will begin work at Flavel.

H. Grim is the latest one we have heard from that is building a new barn. Let the good work go on.

The community club cleaned the Scappoose streets Tuesday night, after which the ladies served lunch.

Martin Crouse, who has been working at Timber, Oregon, was in town a few days before going to Newport to work.

Dr. Hatfield has just returned from Moro, Oregon, where he has an extensive grain interest. He reports everything thriving.

Bert Long of Skamania, Wash., spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. B. Stanton. He expects to go to Montana for his health.

Mrs. B. Scott and Mrs. Holland accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Al Harrison on their trip to Bonneville to attend the grocers' picnic.

Prices, Perrys, Pomeroyes, Mrs. E. M. Watts and her daughter Maude motored out on the highway Sunday, having an all day picnic.

Mrs. Deyo, with her daughter Rachel and son Bruce of Portland, are the house guests at the Blatchford residence for a fortnight.

Carpenters have started on the remodeling of the church. The lumber has arrived and everything looks favorable for some rapid work.

Mrs. Burt West and family and

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wickstrom and children motored over the Columbia highway to Multnomah falls last Sunday.

The children from the Des Moines, Wash., orphan's home gave a musical assortment of union suits. Regular 59c, special at 39c. Noah's Ark.

The Misses Irene and Ollie Stoltenberg, Athline Tolly and May Novak are home from summer school. Miss Tolly went to Mayger to open school on Monday morning.

Mrs. S. Garrison and Mrs. M. Freeman and son Roy were Mist visitors on Tuesday and Wednesday. Roy was recently kicked by a horse and is still walking on crutches.

Miss Marjorie Holaday gave a birthday party in honor of Miss Glee Gearhart on Wednesday. Sixteen girls were present. Refreshments and games were the order of the day.

R. C. Bonser and wife motored from Portland last Sunday, accompanied by Mrs. Thomas, formerly Allie Davie, who taught school here many years ago. They called at the home of Mrs. M. J. Watts.

The Ladies' Aid met at the home of Mrs. G. W. Pomeroy last Thursday. On account of the inclement weather there were only about 15 present. Mrs. Ernest Johnson and Mrs. Jim Eversole joined the Aid that day.

Last Wednesday Rev. and Mrs. Meyers, accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Hatfield, motored through Clackamas and Washington counties in a circuitous route, and on Thursday they took a view of Columbia Highway and Multnomah falls.

We hear complaints from the town people about the most excellent crop of thistles which are allowed to go to seed right in the heart of the city. There is a law against the thistle pest, and some people think it time to see what the law is good for.

We believe if the people who have those crops were urged to do so, they would cut and burn them without a remonstrance, for no one in our town will knowingly trouble his neighbor.

On Wednesday, the 26th, a pretty little home wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry White, when their eldest daughter, Ethel, was married to Orvid Anderson. The ceremony was performed by Justice Phillip of St. Helens. Only the immediate relatives were present. The happy couple left the same evening for Wasco, Oregon, where a beautiful new bungalow is waiting their coming. We all join in wishing them many happy and prosperous years.

RAINIER

Frank Hughes was a Portland visitor last Sunday, having been called there on account of the illness of his wife, who is at one of the hospitals in very poor health.

The birthday of Jared Wilson is being celebrated at his home back of this place today. Mr. Wilson is an old soldier and has with him today in addition to other friends, the G. A. R. post of Columbia County.

Attorney Fred Herman is anxiously watching a setting of China pheasant eggs which he expects to see hatch this week. Fred perhaps does not entertain the old worn threadbare saying that a watched kettle never boils.

Rainier was again plunged into darkness last Saturday evening at about 7 o'clock. The trouble was caused by drift wood and brush floating into the line opposite Prescott. The tangle was removed last Sunday and the lights were again turned on Sunday evening.

Mrs. A. J. Prichard had the misfortune to run a rusty nail half way through her foot last Thursday afternoon. It was feared for a few days that blood poison would set in, but with careful treatment it is now thought that the danger point is passed.

The increase in the catch of salmon the past two weeks has brought with it an increase in the activities of fish thieves at Astoria. Last Wednesday night 600 pounds of fish were stolen from a boat lying at the S. Schmidt & Company wharf, and during the past week boats have been robbed at the Warren Packing Company's wharf, as well as the receiving station near Point Ellis. One of the thieves is said to have a low rakish craft, equipped with a high power engine, that skims along at a great rate, too swift for any of the boats in Astoria to catch. He uses oars when approaching or slipping away from the boats he robs, but on reaching the stream, glides away at high speed.—Review

NEHALEM VALLEY

Messrs. H. R. Emmott and Taylor, with their families from Hillsboro, are spending a few days camping at the maples below Kist.

A. P. Willing and Mr. Instrom were seriously injured by a premature discharge of blasting powder in the rock quarry near Tom Ander-

son's place Friday forenoon. Dr. Cole was called and dressed the wounds, after which Mr. Willing went to Portland, Robert Christensen accompanying him. Mr. Instrom returned to his home near Vernonia. The blast was being placed when it was accidentally discharged.

Silk mull, beautiful patterns—regular 25c; special at 26c, at Noah's Ark.

Mrs. E. B. North spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. R. L. Wildman. The rain got a lot of hay this time in this valley. "How beautiful it is to have the sunshine."

Wm. Brown was in Vernonia Friday to get his horses shod.

R. L. Wildman hauled a load of lumber from Brown's mill Friday. Hurry up, R. L., or you won't get your house up before the winter rains begin. These are just summer rains we are having now, you know.

Cass Hergerson has returned to his home from Portland, where he has been working in a sawmill the past winter and spring.

Mrs. Hans Christensen's sister from the Valley, is in visiting her for a few days.

E. Hult, son and daughter, visited with Mrs. R. L. Wildman and family Sunday.

The contractors on the road work are running some overtime on account of the heavy rains.

A crowd of young people went Sunday afternoon from the Kist Union Sunday school down to the rock quarry. They enjoyed themselves immensely.

BACHELOR FLAT

C. C. Moyer had the misfortune to fall last week and sprain his arm quite badly.

Striped dress materials, latest patterns, regular 29c value, now 13½c. Noah's Ark.

Mrs. S. J. Churchill of Portland, visited with Mrs. Lillieh last week.

Mr. Wixtion, Jr., of Medford, is visiting with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison of St. Helens and Mr. and Mrs. Bumgardner of this place, motored to Salem and spent Sunday with Mr. Bumgardner's and Mrs. Harrison's father and mother. Mr. Bumgardner came back smiling all over to think he has relatives with a car.

Mr. and Mrs. Paterson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Larson.

Quite a number of the school children went to Goble Sunday, where they were entertained by Miss Madeline Thomas. All came home happy, and saying "Oh, what a good time we did have."

Miss Catherine Murphy of Clatskanie, is spending the week with Opal Gladread. She expects her mother to join her Sunday and hold services in the school house.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Jarvey and son, Larson, of Portland, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Lillieh. Mrs. Jarvey is a sister of Mr. Lillieh.

Mrs. D. Cole and daughter Ada spent Saturday visiting with the Bennett family.

Mr. Morton is having an addition built onto his house and a lot of changes made in the old part. Chas. Goodman is doing the work.

Miss Anderson of Portland, has been visiting with the Misses Florence Larson and Hilma Morton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacobson and Mr. and Mrs. Meigs spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Larson of Warren.

Miss Hilma Morton returned home Monday after a few days spent in Warren with Mrs. O. Erickson.

CLATSKANIE

Mrs. J. H. Aldridge and little son and Ira Aldridge and bride of Mist, came over Tuesday evening to help make the surprise on Grandpa Jones a success.

Mrs. Coumans, accompanied by Miss Melvina Lewis, was a Portland visitor Monday, going up to see her son, who was passing through on his way to Grants Pass, having been placed in charge of the Salvation Army at that place.

Dr. Wooden was called to Ingalls Wednesday evening to attend Axel Olson who had received injury to one of his legs by being caught by some falling lumber. The injured man was taken to a Portland hospital on the evening train.

Mrs. E. Herlikey, accompanied by her daughter and five sons, came in last week and settled on her recently acquired property, which consists of 40 acres near the Limberg place on the Delena road.

Mrs. Vannell, who has been staying with Mrs. Markwell for the past two or three weeks, left for her home in Dallas Tuesday, spending a few days in Portland before going on. She was accompanied as far as the Rose City by Mrs. Markwell.

Mrs. M. W. Markham's sister, Mrs. Frank Fleck of Forest Grove, accompanied by her husband and daughter, arrived in town Wednesday in their auto. Thursday morning they left for Seaside accompanied by Dr. and Mrs. Markham.—Chief.

TRY OUR WANT AD

To Exchange—A house and lot, x100, at 34th and N street, Vancouver, Wash., valued at \$400.00, for change for house and lot in St. Helens. Jas. Dunn, Box 371, St. Helens.

For Sale—Eight acres of land, W. Perry, Houlton, Ore.

For Sale, cheap, one team, in condition, colors bay and black, and 9 years old; weight about 1,000 lbs.; or exchange for two cows. Joubert, Ranch, Scappoose, Oregon.

Wanted—A commercial agent in St. Helens who can get the names of a bright, energetic lady. Good wages to right man. Apply Mist office for information.

For Sale—Top buggy, cart, harness and good, gentle mare, sound and true, will go anywhere. J. W. Allen, St. Helens.

New 6-room house and lot in St. Helens, five blocks west from the hotel, \$250.00 cash, balance \$500.00 terms. This is less than would cost to build the house on present cost of material. O. H. Olen, Columbia City, Oregon.

Wanted—Beef stock. George Wilson, phone D-14, St. Helens, Oregon.

For Rent—Suite of office and also sleeping rooms. Col. C. B. Bank.

For Rent—A suite of office in Bank Building. Columbia City Bank.

For sale, on reasonable terms, acres near Scappoose, with one of railroad station; convenient schools and churches. Three cleared and one acre bearing crops. Balance now being cleared. Cottage 30x30; barn and chicken house, woodshed, etc. For particulars address Box 251, St. Helens, Ore.

The Biggest Farm Snap in Clatskanie county. I have it. Fifty acres beaverdam land one mile from town; 15 acres cleared. Good running stream on place. Small buildings. Owner offers this at very price and good terms. See Morton at St. Helens Mist office, Helens, Ore.

For Sale—Two cows, one milk and one fresh soon. H. W. Wreter, Warren, Ore.

I want to buy from 40 to 60 goats, nannies preferred. Al L. O. Nelson, Houlton, Oregon.

For Sale—Shoe and repair in good location; fully equipped. Good trade. Cash only. Geo. Poles, St. Helens, Ore.

Lost, strayed or stolen, two grey colts, from my place at Deland. Distinguishing mark, heavy colt's belly. Reward for information or return. G. W. Mills, Deer Island, Oregon.

For Sale—Seven-year-old horse, sound, will work single double; weight 1500. P. H. Warren, Oregon.

Strayed—One roan cow, A. S. on hip; one black cow, S. on hip; one black and white short two year old; one yearling Holstein, small. Please notify Morton, Scappoose, Ore.

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MONDAY, THE 7TH

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